

25. (Canceled) ~~The method of claim 23 wherein said input device is a foot input device.~~

REMARKS

The present application includes claims 1-25. Claims 1-25 were rejected by the Examiner. By this amendment, independent claims 1, 7, 13, 20, and 23 have been amended, dependent claims 6, 12, and 19 have been amended, and claims 5, 11, 18, 22, and 25 have been canceled. All claims are now believed to be in allowable condition.

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the comments and interview. The amended portions of the claims incorporate the Examiner's comments. The art of record does not teach nor suggest these limitations. Specifically, Wang alone or further in view of Brant or Cox does not teach nor suggest these limitations. Accordingly, all claims are now believed to be in condition for allowance.

Applicant wishes to note that this amendment does not indicate that the Applicant agrees with the Examiner's characterization of the cited art.

CONCLUSION

The Applicants submit that the claims define allowable subject matter and are in condition for allowance. If the Examiner has any questions, the Examiner is invited and encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney at the number below. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fees or credit any overpayment to the USPTO Deposit Account GTC, Account No. 070845.

Respectfully submitted,

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